

An airplane is not a phone booth. People are disturbing enough on a plane. Chatty, cell-phone-using, nervous fliers will amplify the chances of air rage. It happens on buses and on the streets. An airplane is even more of a pressure cooker. Spare us from having to hear all the painful minutia sputtering at high volume from the mouths of other passengers on cell phones. Safety is in the balance, and people can never be counted on to be polite, observe the rules of ettiquette, or to "do the right thing".